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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant : Martin O'Sullivan, et al.  
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Title : ENHANCED ABLATION AND MAPPING CATHETER AND METHOD  
FOR TREATING ATRIAL FIBRILLATION  
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Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated June 29, 2005 for three month(s) from October 29, 2005 to December 29, 2005.

The authorized fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 510	\$ 1020	\$1020

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
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